

Our legal system assumes everyone to be innocent until proven guilty. The "Digital Broadcast Copy Protection" bill assumes the opposite and clubs all consumers in with the "pirates".

The very first paragraph in the "Introduction" section of the notice is offensive. It says " ... In the absence of a copy protection scheme for digital broadcast television, content providers have asserted that they will not permit high quality programming to be broadcast digitally." The usage of the word "permit" in that sentence conveys the contemptuous attitude of the industry towards the consumer.

I would rather not have digital television than put up with this attitude.